

# Tropical Depression 17W

Tropical Depression 17W was a short-lived cyclone that developed and dissipated as an exposed low level circulation in the East China Sea during early October. Five warnings were issued by JTWC.

TD 17W formed in the reverse orientated monsoon trough and was initially detected by visual satellite data as an exposed low level circulation. The first warning was issued at 060300Z October.

TD 17W was forecast to remain weak as synoptic and satellite data indicated a high vertical wind shear environment. Within 12 hours, TD 17W weakened to a 20 kt system. JTWC issued the final warning at 070300Z October.

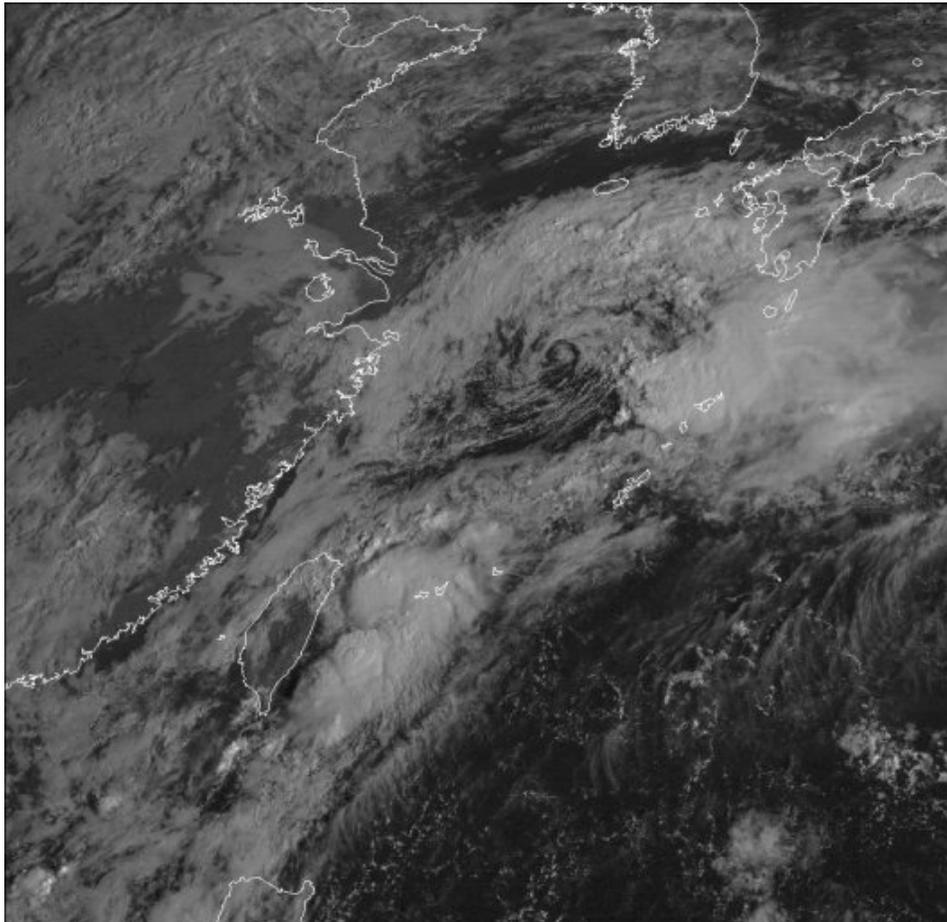


Figure 3-17-1. 052334Z October visible satellite data of TD 17W at maximum intensity of 30 kt with a totally exposed low level circulation.

